

## CONFERENCE BUSINESS COMMITTEE "I" Communications and Organisations

**CONVENER:** David Bush

**QUESTION 34:** What are the decisions of Conference on matters relating to Communications and Organisations?  
(a) Communications Committee

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### **INFORMATION:**

#### **DECISIONS:**

1. That the report be received.
2. That Conference adopts protocols for use of e-mail in the church.
3. That Conference asks the Communications Committee in 2007, to widely consult with the church and undertake a review of the Guidelines for PAC Media and Communications Fund.
4. That Conference wishes the Communications Committee to prepare and circulate the Job Description for Methodist Media person and identify sources of funding for the establishment of such a position during 2007.
5. Conference notes that many parts of the community are being asked to prepare for the effects of a civil emergency and strongly encourages Parishes to work in partnership with their local communities as they make their plans.
6. The Committee for 2007. David Bush (Convenor), Robyn Brown, Sheila Thorne, Trish Moseley, Ruth Sandiford-Phelan.

**QUESTION 34:** What are the decisions of Conference on matters relating to Communications & Organisations  
(b) Methodist Publishing  
(c) Touchstone

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### **INFORMATION**

#### **DECISIONS**

1. That the Report be received.
2. That Conference urges all who engage in any publishing activity to carefully examine legal issues when publishing their work.
3. That Conference encourages the publishing of resources within the life of the Church.
4. Methodist Publishing Board for 2007 be: the General Secretary, David Bush, Mark Gibson, Karen Isaacs (secretary), Inoke Siulangapo, Jim Stuart, Pieter van der Berg, John Wilson.

**QUESTION 34:** What are the decisions of Conference on matters relating to Communications & Organisations  
(d) PAC Communications Endowment?

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### **INFORMATION**

#### **DECISIONS**

1. The report be received.
2. Committee for 2007 – Trish Moseley (Convenor) Brian Peterson, Lana Lazarus, Sheila Thorne.

**QUESTION 34:** What are the decisions of Conference on matters relating to Communications & Organisations  
(f) Churches Broadcasting?

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### **INFORMATION**

#### **DECISIONS**

1. The report be received.
2. Conference congratulates Trish Moseley on being re-elected as Chairperson of CBC.